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RELEVANCE

These documents came to the Applicants' attention during a search of the corresponding international application. A copy of the International Search Report setting forth the portion of each reference considered relevant by the examiner is attached.

An English language translation of Documents A04, A07-A10 are not readily available; however, the absence of such translation does not relieve the PTO from its duty to consider the submitted document (37 CFR §1.98 and MPEP §609). Applicants have attached an English abstract of Documents A04, A07-A10. Document A04, German Applic. No. 29 44 783, has a corresponding U.S. Application No. 4,619,689.

TIMING/FEE

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Respectfully submitted,

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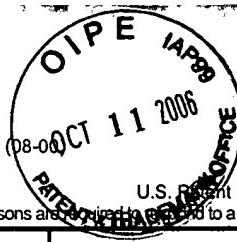
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